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NO. 32

Claims For School Work All Filed

Grammar School Building Contractor's Final Payment Will Not be Sufficient to Pay Numerous Claims

All claims against the Grammar School contractor, R. H. Ingraham have now been filed and it develops that there will not be sufficient money in the final payments of \$5,441 and \$6,865.50 due him on the \$30,000 contract to meet the demands which exceed \$15,000. Most of these claims are for material and labor actually put into the construction of the building but some are for money advanced and for board of Ingraham's men, the latter claims being subject to question and probably destined to be held up until settlement can be effected with the Contractor through legal procedure or otherwise. The claims all appear legitimate and work was performed and advancements made in good faith but the claims for labor and material are paramount according to the letter of the law. The following are the claims in full filed to date.

Sub. Contractor A. Mex

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| L. H. Green, draft for cash payments | \$ 189.75 |
| L. H. Green, material | 1003.40 |
| Chas. P. Carson, labor, plasterer | 29.50 |
| Romero Martin, labor | 114.75 |
| Albert Weil | 69.42 |
| H. Castagnasso | 94.28 |
| F. Canevari | 29.25 |
| Total | \$1530.35 |

Contractor Ingraham

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| A. Max, balance due | 36.65 |
| L. H. Green, material | 1089.55 |
| Con. O'Leary, labor | 175.50 |
| Sydney Drysdale, labor | 105.00 |
| S. Codutti material & labor | 485.51 |
| J. B. Culbertson, under sub. contractor | 303.00 |
| Louis Mouyer, material & labor | 204.08 |
| Louis Mouyer, labor | 27.50 |
| C. F. Weber & Co., material and labor | 326.00 |
| E. Mattianda, labor | 81.10 |
| John Eckhardt, labor | 41.50 |
| V. Checchi, labor | 13.75 |
| F. Pini, labor | 47.50 |
| J. A. Kinsella, material & labor | 426.65 |
| P. J. Millerich, labor | 73.10 |
| G. K. Ingraham, labor | 512.96 |
| Stephen Morrison, labor | 717.50 |
| Nick Keiser, labor | 29.00 |
| T. B. Sims, labor | 25.00 |
| Tom Butler, labor | 590.00 |
| R. D. Casey, labor | 60.50 |
| J. J. Dunbar, material & labor | 419.48 |
| L. Quartaroli, material & labor | 500.00 |
| Judson Manufacturing Co. material | 955.00 |
| Crane Co., material | 693.78 |

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| Pac. Ref. & Roofg. Co., material | 276.08 |
| Ralph E. Murphy, material & labor | 165.00 |
| H. Castagnasso, labor | 2.50 |
| F. Canevari, labor | 8.00 |
| L. V. Empanan, material | 31.75 |
| A. W. Adler, material | 66.04 |
| Remillard Brick Co. material | 178.27 |
| P. E. O'Hair, material | 295.70 |
| F. Duhring, material | 505.27 |
| G. S. Harris, Jr., material | 125.30 |
| Contr. & Build. Supply Co., material | 3993.24 |
| Thomson Bridge Co., material | 533.75 |
| Taylor & Spotswood Co., material | 13.54 |
| F. Clewe, material | 4.85 |
| F. Koenig, draft of Ingraham for his board | 192.00 |
| Gus. Gorskey, advance for labor | 446.50 |
| B. F. Johnson, painting | 603.00 |

Claims to date \$15,381.62

CANNERY MEN HOLD MEETING

Sonoma Valley Canning Company Now Incorporated Elects

Directors—Reports Progress

The Sonoma Valley Canning Company held its first meeting since its formal incorporation last Friday and elected the following Board of Directors: R. L. Watt, president; J. Wadsworth, vice president; C. S. Cutter, secretary and treasurer, Oscar Studley and T. A. Van Gundy. The Company will proceed to issue regular stock certificates as soon as a permit arrives from the Commission of Corporations.

E. Cutter will have charge of the building of the plant at Vineburg. A substantial concrete building, 50 x 150 will be erected on the acre of land given by the Rubkes. Mr. Van Gundy is very optimistic concerning the Company's future in Sonoma Valley and hopes this section will profit by the example set by the Raisin Growers of Fresno who have achieved so much for that country by cooperating and pulling together.

Mrs. Gorski and daughter, Miss Ethel Shane, entertained a number of friends at a jolly evening of music and cards last Tuesday.

ADVENTURES OF SONOMA BOY.

Friend McHarvey Will Leave Shortly to Continue Thrilling Travels.

Friend McHarvey, born and raised in Sonoma was not destined to settle down into quiet humdrum routine. The call of adventure has always been strong within him and as a result he has traveled far and wide to return at intervals with thrilling tales of his travels on home and foreign shores. He has been here about ten days and already the wanderlust has seized him and he is feverish to again take passage on a windjammer for South America. The fo'castle of any old ship is his castle and he delights in the tales of old seadogs whom he says are better story tellers than Jack London and warm and impulsive in their friendships toward their fellows.

McHarvey after his last visit here in 1914 shipped on the Manga Reva with a barley cargo of 5000 tons bound from San Francisco to Rotterdam. Not many days after the European war was declared and upon arriving at Plymouth, (England) harbor some 165 days later, they were held up by British authorities, two German sailors imprisoned and our own Harold Carriger also a seaman aboard the Manga Reva, sharply questioned as to his nativity. Carriger was able to show that he was an American so escaped imprisonment. The ship was then towed to Rotterdam and the crew paid off February 2, 1915. McHarvey next shipped on the Vanhogen Dorf for Galveston returning with a cargo of cotton to Rotterdam, thence to Kingston, Jamaica and back to New York with a cargo of 80,000 bunches of bananas. From New York he embarked for Marseilles with a consignment of frozen beef (5000 tons) for the French Army. Between Callais and London a hospital ship bearing 3500 wounded soldiers from the war zone was passed.

From Marseilles, McHarvey sailed for Mexico then to New York taking from this country on his next trip a consignment of frozen beef to Liverpool.

While returning to the United States on the next voyage for a cargo of cotton to be loaded for the Allies, a huge Zeppelin evidently with a knowledge of the mission of the Mango Reva, bore down upon them near Falmouth harbor dropping a bomb, which struck the bow of the boat completely disabling her. The air craft then wheeled and disappeared over the cliffs of the English Coast while the fast sinking Manga Reva was towed to safety.

McHarvey's next experience was on a mine sweep D. W. 76, which dragged the Channel for mines which the Germans had planted in the North Sea and were being swept down by the currents on their errand of destruction. Many mine sweeps never were heard from but the Sonoma boy escaped and returned to the United States where he assisted in recovering bodies in the Eastland disaster at Chicago and later joined a regiment in the Canadian Army. When his regiment was ordered to the front McHarvey decided to return to this Coast and he made the trip via the Gulf route glad to be back where the thermometer was not 16 below zero. He is the picture of rugged health and contentment.

CONSOLIDATION OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Pictures are on display in Duhring's, illustrative of the advantage of consolidated school districts which is an idea being widely advocated in this State by educators who claim superior uniformity of training and broader culture through the centralized school.

The firm of F. Clewe has been awarded the contract to furnish all the cement to be used in the construction of the new Agua Caliente Hotel by A. M. Hilderbrand. This will amount to about 600 barrels.

CITY TRUSTEES IN LIVELY SESSION

Petition For Salary Reduction Enlivens Meeting--Election Ordered

March came in like a lion all right over at the City Hall when the Trustees met in regular session Wednesday to transact routine matters and to receive a petition which had been circulated for the purpose of pruning the lately increased salary of the City Attorney from twenty five to twelve dollars per month. The companion petition calling for a reduction in the pay of City Clerk was withdrawn on request of the circulator of it, L. Breitenbach who unknowingly misrepresented the object of the petition to signers. The other petition was vigorously combatted by the members of the Board who had voted for increasing the City Attorney's salary and by City Attorney Cowgill himself, who took occasion to indulge in some harsh flings at those opposed to a living wage for legal lore. He arraigned his opponents in caustic fashion and epithets flew thick and fast between the two factions while the matter was up for discussion. It was finally ordered to have the petition verified after which the question of cutting down the salary will be put on the ballot provided ten per cent of the qualified electors are found to be upon the petition.

On motion of Trustee McDevitt, seconded by Trustee Johnson, an electric light was ordered placed on Napa Street opposite the Grammar School. Henry Hartin will be asked to repair his fencing at the corner of Napa and First Street East.

Ordinance No. 144 was read for the third time and on proper motion the Clerk was authorized to have same published according to law. The sum of \$100 was ordered transferred to the street fund. The City election was called for April 10th and the following election officers chosen. Inspectors, Louis Breitenbach, Thos Brown; Judges, R. Hotz, J. P. Valente; Clerks, L. H. Green, Roy Pauli. The compensation was fixed at \$4 each and the voting place will be the City Hall.

The following claims were allowed and ordered paid:

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| I. Brusky, rock | \$152.10 |
| E. Segournaut, gardening | 22.75 |
| J. G. Marcy, plumbing | 1.50 |
| Thos. Lewis, surveying | 28.15 |
| S. V. L. & P. Co., water | 12.00 |
| H. W. Gottenberg, salary & supplies | 28.86 |
| C. Tel. & Light Co. | 69.46 |
| J. H. Albertson, salary | 15.00 |
| S. C. W. W. Co., water | 10.00 |
| L. V. Empanan, royalty | 10.70 |
| C. C. Cowgill, salary | 25.00 |
| R. Quartaroli, labor | 57.00 |

SCHOOL TICKETS

A ticket is in the field for High School trustees and the names mentioned in connection with it, are Walter Bundschu, George Breitenbach and E. Ranker. For Grammar School trustee of Sonoma district, Carl Dresel is urged for re-election. Another ticket also contains the name of Walter Bundschu, popular with all factions, to succeed H. Rubke, deceased, and his running mates are Robert P. Hill, incumbent, and possibly a woman candidate from Glen Ellen.

R. H. Manuel

Practical

Horse Shoer

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Allen Assault

Case Settled

Wilkin's Assailant Surrenders Star and Pays Doctor Bill--Charge Reduced

The Allen-Wilkins case, which has been the chief topic of interest at Glen Ellen for the past month ever since Jerry Allen, deputy sheriff, engaged in an altercation with his old enemy, G. F. H. Wilkins and the latter had his ear split open, came to a hearing Wednesday before Judge Lepold Just. It was charged that Allen "willfully, unlawfully and feloniously made an assault on G. F. H. Wilkins with a deadly weapon" Chauvet hall the place of the hearing, was crowded with spectators and a great array of witnesses with District Attorney Clarence F. Lea prosecuting and Attorney Rolfe Thompson present to defend the accused.

The complainant, Wilkins, was the first witness called. He recited the feeling which had been brewing between him and his assailant ever since he succeeded Allen as carrier of the U. S. mail and admitted that on the night of the assault he had been drinking. He declared he was felled by a blow from the rear and did not see Allen before the attack. He also claimed to have been subsequently unconscious for two days and to have had ten stitches taken in his ear.

The next witness was R. Duncan, the companion of Wilkins on the night in question. His testimony was to the effect that ill feeling had existed between the combatants for sometime and that he saw Jerry Allen draw a club and strike Wilkins; that Allen also threatened him if he interfered.

R. Petri, a section hand was the next witness. He testified that he saw the attack and that Wilkins put up his fists as though to fight before Allen struck him and that he (Petri) ran for help to the section house.

A. G. Captin, section boss was then called to the stand reciting the facts as he recalled them when he reached the scene; that Wilkins was not unconscious, apparently had been drinking and was able to talk.

Dr. Francis to whose office Wilkins was brought for treatment testified to the condition of the injured man, the extent of his injury which he declared was confined to the lacerated ear, on which he took two stitches and his state of mind following the altercation. His testimony went to show that Wilkins was somewhat dazed but was not unconscious for any length of time. Howard Gaige and J. M. Sobbe, who went to the scene of trouble, also testified that Wilkins

was able to talk of the attack, while they were carrying him to the doctor's office.

After all the testimony was in, District Attorney Lea agreed to reduce the charge to battery there not being sufficient evidence to get a conviction on the felony charge.

It was suggested that Allen plead guilty but Attorney Rolfe Thompson argued that this was not necessary as the matter could be adjusted by mutual consent since his client would pay the doctor's bill demanded by Wilkins and would make any other amends suggested by the District Attorney. The latter therefore agreed to dismiss with the understanding that Allen's Deputy Sheriff star be surrendered to Sheriff Smith.

The arrangement being satisfactory to both sides, the Court adjourned and harmony once again reigned in the thriving little town of Glen Ellen.

Both men were past seventy-five years of age and their fight had all the elements of a canine encounter, long engendered sullen malice, bristling belligerency at every meeting, the gnashing of teeth expressive of fierce invective and the final culmination in an attack, out of which one emerged with his ear split from lobe to head. Truly a theme none too trivial for Jack London himself.

The witnesses supposed but some of whom were not called were as follows:

Mrs. E. Shepard, Wm. Ping, H. Cowen, E. A. Ranker, J. Rankin, Wm. Vanderwater, W. Gaige, M. Levy, C. Lane, J. G. Cowen.

THROWN FROM

A HORSE.

O. C. ("Kid") Smith was thrown from a horse at the Brandt ranch last Tuesday and received injuries which resulted in his removal to the Gobar sanitarium for treatment. There it was discovered that he had injured his vertebrae and was otherwise badly bruised and shaken up. Dr. Gobar states that while not seeming serious, the extent of his injuries cannot positively be stated at this time.

"Kid" Smith and Jim Kehoe operate the dairy portion of Brandt's place on shares and the injured young man's friends will be sorry to learn of his mishap.

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Fallacy of Some Economy

Did you ever stop to think that conservatism when posed is spectacular politics?

The man who is opposed to every improvement because he warns you that it will run the community in debt, likes to pose as the benefactor of all tax payers but the day is passed when all tax payers will accept those credentials.

The modern enlightened voter asks himself is the town really spending too much money, does it need to go in debt to advance or may it not be a fact that the money now expended is not expended judiciously? A community is nothing more or less than a big family and the management of it is everything. Some families get along on a moderate income and their neighbors cry how do you do it? Their children are better fed, better clothed, better nourished, their surroundings far in advance of others with twice the income. The answer is judicious expenditure, good management. Another family with the identical income cannot make a good showing.

The "tight wad" is not the valuable asset to a community he imagines, nor that his erstwhile admirers imagine. It is the old story of penny wise and pound foolish. While possibilities of reckless expenditure are being balked and fought, he is sitting on a lid that is actually bulging with imperfections but he would distract the attention of the populace by dwelling on the remote or the imminent avalanche of progress which is about to overtake the unwary. Have you ever thought that this is about the only place "friend conservative" could fill in the body politic? As an actual help or manager he is a failure. Under the guise of his conservatism, he stands for petty bit and miss expenditure that in the aggregate is the worst sort of extravagance. He is the best argument there is in favor of the City Manager plan of municipal government. According to this arrangement, three Commissioners are elected by the people and they in turn choose a competent man to run the city. This plan makes for efficiency and running a city becomes a business proposition not a pastime where some extend themselves regardless of judgment, while others stage a bout with expenditure, which looks like a real swipe at extravagance but is at best a hollow bluff.

Real business management by a competent man has brought the best kind of results in cities where it has been tried. The efficient man can save his salary twice over and bring the tax payer obvious results.

It is a question which is worse, a reckless tack in the direction of progress or keeping in old ruts, which need constant repair while furnishing rostrums for the preachers of economy. The town which is too cautious finds itself in the predicament of the fellow who wears his shoes too long, gets calloused feet and limps way behind the fellow who is well shod, or the fellow who neglects his teeth because it costs money to go to a dentist or the cautious man who spurns doctors and operations because he believes almanacs contain sufficient information. These are all economic souls but where do they bring up?

The invasion of progress costs something in the beginning but if people can be attracted to a town, they more than compensate. Mr. Taxpayer. They will prove good customers, clients, patients or patrons to the very people who now decry the methods necessary to get them here.

Do not listen to false prophets. In matters municipal think for yourself.

Eshleman Exceptional Progressive

The life of Lieutenant Governor Eshleman, the mainstay and inspiration of the Progressive Party came to a sad and abrupt end in a little desert town last Monday. His death has dealt a crushing blow to a cause fast waning—a cause which he espoused and to which he devoted himself with untiring ardor and sincere conviction. "Jack" Eshleman's big personality and unimpeachable motives stood out in strong contrast to the political tricksters about him and his faith in some of these impossible elements was the making of men who otherwise would have long ago veered from the uncomfortable false niches they sought to occupy. Eshleman with an untarnished record, with no bridges to burn and no coat to turn, threw himself into politics while still a young collegian. He had no past to embarrass him and he went fearlessly and honestly into the work of putting some of his many ideals into the statutes of this state. This he accomplished to what end the future will tell. The work was colossal for as Hiram Johnson himself said "there is but one Eshleman in every generation," so he stood alone trying to mould corrupt politicians into the semblance of regenerated compatriots, trying to fit finely chiseled ideals to an imperfect and immature citizenship.

The work proved too much—the castles he builded had begun to totter under the rapid gun fire of public test and opinion even before his passing. The master hand is gone. Their fate now seems certain.

Let it be said to the credit of this finely constructed young statesman and scholar that no finger of scorn could ever be pointed at him, that "the faces of old ghosts" never "looked in upon the battle." In that great and mystic hereafter may he realize the ideals, which beckoned so alluring here and ended in mirage and death.

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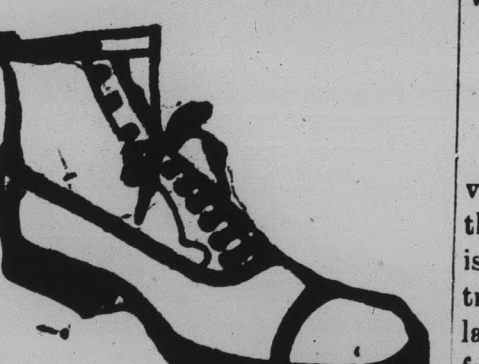
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| DAILY. | TO AND FROM | DAILY. |
| 7:18 A M | San Francisco | 9:59 A M |
| 3:40 P M | San Rafael and Intermediates | 6:59 P M |
| | Glen Ellen and Intermediates. | 9:59 A M |
| 7:18 A M | Healdsburg | 9:59 A M |
| 3:40 P M | Eureka and Intermediates. | 6:59 P M |
| 7:18 A M | Cloverdale | 9:59 A M |
| 3:40 P M | Healdsburg Lytton and Intermediates. | 6:59 P M |
| 7:18 A M | Eureka and Intermediates | 9:59 A M |
| 3:40 P M | Healdsburg | 6:59 P M |
| 7:18 A M | Sebastopol and Intermediates. | 9:59 A M |
| 3:40 P M | Guerneville and Intermediates. | 6:59 A M |
| 7:18 A M | FUNDAYS. | 9:59 A M |
| 4:17 P M | | 6:59 P M |

W. S. PALMER, President.

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General Passenger Agent.

Our editorial "Picking Municipal Timber" which appeared in these columns and was widely copied by other newspapers shows that identical problems confront many cities which have to depend upon public spirited citizens to serve in official capacities.

BANKERS TO LOAN TO POULTRYMEN.

The state market director announced yesterday that he had made arrangements with local bankers to advance money on any eggs that might be stored by the proposed Poultrymen's Federation of the state. It was stated that the rate would not be higher than 6 per cent. Local dealers, who have hitherto done their own storing, expressed satisfaction with the new arrangement if it should be brought to a successful termination, and stated that they would rather purchase from the producers who had stored than assume the risks themselves if they could secure stock that was up to grade—Chronicle.

Death of Beloved Woman.

Mrs. Laura M. Venton died at her home near Glen Ellen Tuesday noon after several weeks illness. She left five children, Arthur C. and Wm. R. of Mina, Nevada; Josephine E., Fred C. and Blanche E. all of Glen Ellen to mourn her passing. Her husband died two years ago and the body will be taken to Eureka, Nevada to be laid beside him. Mrs. Venton was a woman of fine character and everyone was her friend. Her parents reside in England. Deceased was born in Cornwall and was fifty seven years of age.

VIOLIN WIZARD.

Emil Gortenburg, wizard of the violin and a high priced artist from the Sullivan and Considine circuit is on the program at Fetters Theatre every evening. He gets all the latest popular musical hits direct from the publishers and together with other vaudeville stars is creating a furore at the popular resort.

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WHAT THEY DID TO REFORMERS.

Bakersfield, Feb. 25.—Three initiative ordinances for the regulation of the saloons in Bakersfield were defeated at the polls after a sensational campaign of several weeks. The vote was as follows: Sunday closing—Yes 2,657; No 3,015. Closing week nights at 10 o'clock—Yes 2,615; No 3,059. Total prohibition—Yes 2,233; No 3,392. The ordinances did not apply to wholesale houses, restaurants or cafes. Fifty-two saloons would have been forced to close their doors in ninety days had the last named ordinance carried.

FESTS FARM CHANGES HANDS

R. Fest has leased his summer resort near El Verano to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Franklin, formerly of Cloverdale and San Francisco. The new proprietors will put the place in excellent shape for the coming season and expect to cater to a large number of summer visitors. Fest will remove to San Francisco where he will conduct a restaurant.

Trinity Episcopal Church Services.

Sunday School, 9.45 a. m.

Morning prayer 11 a. m.

Vespers 5 p. m.

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RIGHT PRICES

Summary of the News Gatherer

Arthur Carmer was in town from San Francisco over Sunday.

Mrs. Malstead of Berkeley spent Sunday with local relatives.

Press Davis has returned from Yountville.

Peter Yenni, Jr., returned from a short trip to Napa Tuesday.

Miss Mathilda Baccaja has been the guest this week of friends at Boyes Springs.

Ralph Thompson was drawn as a jurymen in a Superior Court case at Santa Rosa this week.

Wm. Evans of the California Telephone and Light Company was in town this week.

Miss Gladys Small spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Sholden at Bennett Valley.

Mrs. H. Bates and Miss Nancy Bates went to Benicia Saturday on a brief visit.

Mrs. Delph (nee Mamie Fochetti) and children are here from Los Angeles on a visit.

Miss Minnie Cook, the popular primary teacher, has been indisposed the past week or so.

Roy Lynch of Ukiah, formerly manager of the telephone office here has secured a position in Oakland.

The Misses Josephine and Amelia Caminata came up from the metropolis Sunday and spent the day.

Will Livernash's beautiful waltz, "The Rose of My Garden of Dreams" was among the number played recently at the Kosher Club ball at Santa Rosa.

Mrs. Julius Fochetti Jr. and Miss Delia Marmori enjoyed a pleasant motor trip to Napa Co. recently with a party of friends in a Packard touring car.

The R. E. Murphys motored to Napa Saturday to advise with Dr. Hennessey concerning the condition of Mrs. M. E. Murphy, who has been indisposed for sometime past.

W. J. Kistle, formerly manager of the Sonoma Feed Store, but now Chief Electrician of the Great Northern Pacific Steam Ship Company, has written from Honolulu that he expects to be in Sonoma this week.

A. J. Berri of Marshall, Marin County, is expected here shortly in his new Cadillac eight which he has just purchased. Mr. Berri is a prominent dairyman and has many friends throughout Sonoma Valley.

Among the lovers of the soil and devotees to activities agricultural, is Dr. E. Z. Hennessey of Napa who personally oversees a magnificent fruit ranch which he owns in the Napa Valley.

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Walter Seymour, stepfather of Will Ashe, was up at the Ashe ranch over the week end.

Mike Mannuck is the proud possessor of a fine new Overland car, which he purchased from James Maffei, the local representative.

The new pool room and barber shop at El Verano was the scene of a house warming last Saturday night and dancing was the order of the evening.

The Misses Harrison entertained the Camp Fire girls last Friday. Miss Alta Rice is Guardian of the organization, which is an excellent auxiliary of the Congregational Church.

Mrs. H. C. Manuel who has been ill for many months, continues to have her good and bad days and is still under the excellent care of her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Cutter.

NEW ACCESSIONS TO LIBRARY.

The following new books have been received this week by the Public Library, having been recently purchased by the Library Board:

"Iron Trail," Beach; "Lost Prince," Burnett; "Within the Tides," Conrad; "Around Old Chester," Deland; "Life and Gabriella," Glasgow; "Prudence of the Parsonage," Hueston; "Held to Answer," McFarlane; "Golden Road," Montgomery.

The Library is in a flourishing condition and is one of the towns most valued institutions.

NEW SETTLERS IN VALLEY

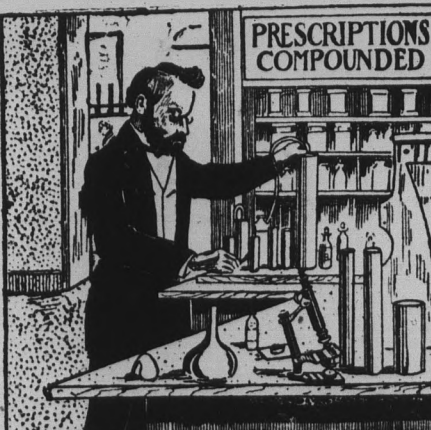
F. G. Deane of San Jose has purchased a portion of the Lehrke ranch and his son of Los Angeles will highly improve it. Mr. Deane has a large ranch in the Santa Clara Valley, but is very enthusiastic over the possibilities in Sonoma and his son who has been in the nursery business in Southern California will reside here permanently.

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WILL GO EAST TO FARM

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Russell are to leave for Manton, Michigan about March 10th where they have taken over an 80 acre farm and will make their home. Mr. Russell came from the State of Michigan before coming here sixteen years ago so in reversing the order of going East instead of staying West he does not feel that it is an experiment.

He has exchanged his Sonoma residence property for the land in Manton which is fine level acreage and he will plant it out to crops this season.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Russell have many relatives and friends in both Michigan and New York State who will welcome their return.

Their leave taking from Sonoma will cause sincere regret as they have made many friends here. Mr. Russell has been a leading and valued member of the Moose Social Club and has taken a prominent part in their charity work.

Their successor in the pretty home and garden on Second St East will be Samuel Long and wife of Wexford County Michigan. Mr. Long is a clergyman.

A FINE OPPORTUNITY

To every ambitious young man the offer of the Index Tribune to give absolutely free a guaranteed gold watch for six subscriptions, should commend itself. We are making this bona fide offer to increase our efficiency as an advertising medium and we are willing to share our profits with those through whose energies and ability we can get new business. It is good business experience for a boy or young man to solicit subscriptions for this newspaper and earn this liberal reward—a gold filled Swiss watch and commended by our leading jeweler, A. Rahwyler, as worthy of all the endorsement we are giving it.

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An Associated Student body was organized this week with John Dunning, president; Dorothy Dobble, vice president; Anita Franquetin, secretary and M. Tracy treas.

ENTERTAIN GRAND PRESIDENT HILL.

Native Daughters Complimented by Visiting Grand Officer at Banquet

Grand President Margaret G. Hill of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, paid Sonoma Parlor an official visit Monday evening and was banqueted by the local members.

The work of the parlor was highly commended and in so much as it is one of the most recently organized in the state the compliment was much appreciated by the earnest workers of the Order.

The arrangements for the banquet were unique and beautiful, tables being set in the form of a hollow square or patio adorned with great vases of golden rod and greens. Tall candelabras graced the banquet board at intervals, while violets were scattered over the snowy linen. A most delicious repast consisting of chicken patties, salads, hot biscuit, cakes and coffee were served and there was speech making and the presentation of a handsome sofa pillow to the guest of honor. The pillow was a hand embroidered replica of the Mission San Francisco de Solano with the date of its founding, 1823 worked out in contrasting tone. It was the work of some of the clever members of Sonoma Parlor and was much appreciated by Mrs. Hill who declared she would always treasure it as a remembrance of historic Sonoma.

RYLAND TREATS HIGH SCHOOL

C. T. Ryland, in complement to his nephew, John Dunning, a Junior of the High School, entertained about fifty students at a theatre party at the "Don" Tuesday evening last. Managers Collins and Mohr put on an exceptional show and the treat was much appreciated. About fifty pounds of peanuts were distributed and all had a "cracking" good time.

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DIDN'T RAISE HIS DOG TO GO TO COLLEGE.

Clarence Nauman, the trap shooter and dog fancier of San Francisco, did not raise his dog to go to College but he found it there nevertheless, where it was awaiting vivisection at the hands of the Affiliated surgeons, who purchased the canine from someone who had evidently stolen it from Nauman. The dog was a great family pet and disappeared some days ago. It was finally decided to make a search at the College, as rumors were current that stray and stolen dogs found a ready market there. Nauman went up and investigated, found the animal and straightway rescued him from the fate which was impending. The District Attorney of San Francisco has decided to stop the nefarious traffic in dogs between unscrupulous peddlers and the Affiliated medicos.

WED ON SABBATH.

The nuptials of Miss Ethel Kinne and E. D. Dennison were solemnized at high noon on Sunday, Rev. Mr. Waltz officiating.

The Rambo home was prettily decorated with spring flowers, great sprays of fruit blossoms vying in beauty with the frailer snow drops, daffodils and hyacinths. The bride was unattended and only the immediate family witnessed the simple but impressive service which was followed by a dainty wedding breakfast. Mr. and Mrs. Dennison departed later for San Francisco and suburbs where they have been spending their honeymoon, prior to taking up their residence in Stockton.

The bride's going away gown was a becoming blue broadcloth with a hat of the new sailor modes to complete the costume. Their leave taking was the occasion of countless good wishes and congratulations.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The members of the Sophomore class have secured a reel of motion pictures of "When Rome Ruled". It will be shown to the English class, prior to examinations and promise to be very instructive.

Baseball activities are in full swing and many interesting games have been played between the "Boneheads" and "Hopheads."

The girls of the High School have organized a girls club and plan on taking many hikes this Spring. They will also give a High Jinks in the future and boys will be strictly prohibited.

Fred. Hansen has been shipping large consignments of baby chicks from his Sonoma Valley Hatchery.

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Mrs. Frank McGill spent Tuesday with her mother here.

F. C. Dobbel and A. Sycrowsky were members of a delegation from the Sonoma County Poultry Federation, which waited upon Colonel Weinstock last week and discussed the formation of a State Federation of poultrymen.

Rev. Mr. Rowe of Fruitvale passed through the Valley Tuesday via Southern Pacific en route to Santa Rosa.

The Northwestern California Conference of the Seventh-day Adventists, held its annual meeting in the Adventist church at St. Helena, March 1st to 4th.

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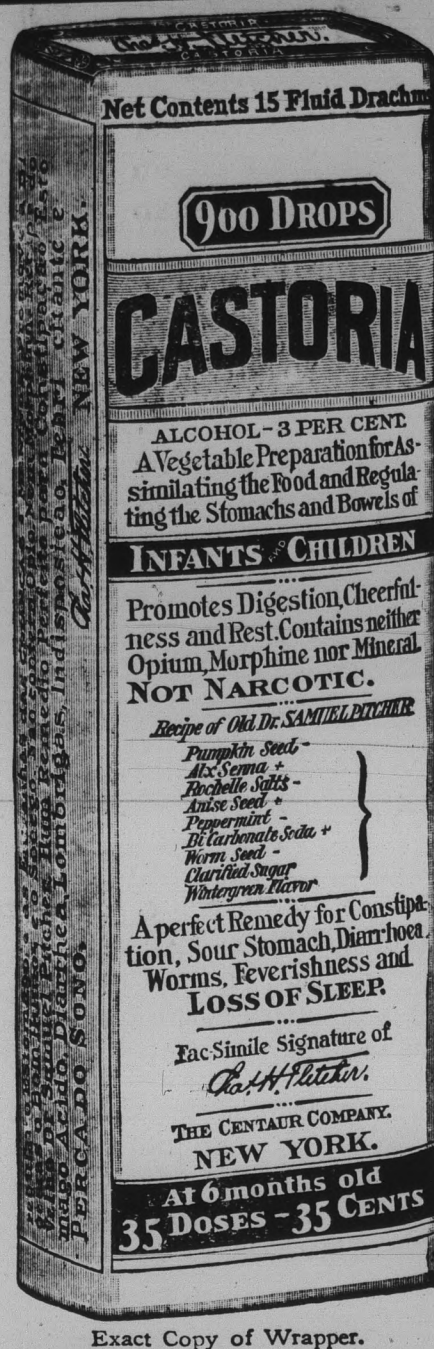
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LOCALS

Jim Weems is in town looking after his property interests.

Frank Koenig was a pall bearer at the funeral of his old friend, A. Arnold, Thursday in Santa Rosa.

Rev. St. John of San Francisco will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational Church tomorrow.

Miss Gladys Simmons is expected for a short rest from St. Luke's where she is training for a nurse.

The Clansman will be shown at the Don Theatre in the near future.

At the annual banquet of the Santa Rosa Chamber of Commerce the chief speaker was Owen Hotte of Oakland formerly minister of our local M. E. Church but now a active real estate man and promoter of Alameda County.

Mrs. C. Burlingame addressed the Womans club of Petaluma on "Indian Baskets" this week and her talk was greatly enjoyed by the club women of our sister city.

A. Pera has purchased a one ton Ford motor truck from Busby and Coates, which he will use for delivery in his fast growing vegetable and fruit business.

Six thousand thoroughbred white Leghorn baby chicks have been shipped by Fred. J. Hansen to several counties in this state, since the first of the year.

A fine young colt belonging to A. Pinelli, was badly bruised by a harrow, which fell on the animal in the pasture.

The Missionary Society of the Congregational Church met at the Hanger home last Tuesday afternoon and a pleasant time was enjoyed by all who attended.

Wells Fargo's office will be located in the Castex building and J. R. Higgins, former Wells Fargo messenger on the railroad, will be in charge of the new branch.

Mrs. Mathilde Spindler was sent to the Ukiah State Hospital for treatment after examination as to her mental condition at Santa Rosa last week.

Mrs. Ris, who is one of the colony of bungalow dwellers in the vicinity of the Springs, was in town Friday last and favored this office with a pleasant call. Mrs. Ris was formerly a resident of Canada.

The "Flying Needles" were entertained Tuesday by Mrs. L. Breitenbach and it was a most pleasant session of this popular club. The membership was increased by the admission of several more congenial members among them, Mesdames Florence Cutter, Alice Picotti, Mesmer, and Adelaide Johansen. Afternoon coffee was served and everyone reluctantly bade the gracious hostess good bye.

Mrs. Mary Gilfoyle is lying very ill at her home in town, she is a pioneer mother of this valley and is 91 years of age.

Lent begins next (Ash) Wednesday. There will be some curtailment of social activities particularly in the churches. The Episcopalians announce that no parishioners meetings will be held until after the days of denial.

Steve O'Leary has accepted a position as horse shoer at the Jack London ranch. Ray Manuel has succeeded to the business on Spain street. He has many friends here who wish him success.

Manuel is a skilled shoer having worked at one of the biggest places in San Francisco.

The Womans club elected the following officers at their annual meeting yesterday.

President, Mrs. Stofen; Vice Pres. Mrs. Bates; Secretary, Mrs. Burlingame; Recording secy. Mrs. Empanan; Treasurer, Mrs. Waggon; Trustees, Mrs. Clewe and F. T. Dubring; Music, Mrs. Fochetti; Civics, Mrs. R. Hunter; Education, Mrs. Rowell.

NOTICE

From the Convent comes an urgent request that bookcases or bookshelves will please be examined to discover if any books, belonging to the Convent Library, may have been placed in them and forgotten. Many valuable volumes are missing, which were loaned to someone, misplaced or loaned, (the latter should not be done) and so never were returned to the Convent. Among the missing books are: "Phileas Fox, Attorney," "The Light of Vision," "A Life's Labyrinth," "The Coin of Sacrifice," "Vera's Charge," "Philip's Retitution," "A Child of Mary," "His Victory," "Borrowed from the Night." The Sisters will be most grateful if these books are returned.

First publication Saturday, January 22, 1916.

Notice of Time and Place for

Proving Will

C. C. P. Sec. 1303
In the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry Rubke, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Monday the 7th day of February, A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, and the Court Room of said Superior Court, in Department Two thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, is hereby fixed and appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Henry Rubke, deceased; and for the hearing by the Court of the application of Mary Rubke, for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary thereon.

Dated January 18th, A. D., 1916.

W. W. FELT, JR., County Clerk.

By A. P. Cochran, Deputy Clerk.

Robert A. Poppe, Esq., Attorney for Petitioner.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Charles S. Wilson, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Frank H. Phillips, administrator of the estate of Charles S. Wilson, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the law offices of W. T. Mooney at rooms 16-18 Gwinn building, 32 Washington street, Petaluma, California, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the estate in the said County of Sonoma, State of California.

FRANK H. PHILLIPS, Administrator of the Estate of Charles S. Wilson, Deceased.
Dated at Petaluma, January 31st, 1916.
W. T. MOONEY, Esq., Attorney for Estate.
Date of first publication, February 5th 1916

School Bond Election Notice

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of FLOWERY School district of the County of Sonoma, State of California, that in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, an election will be held on the 21st day of March, 1916, at the school house in said District, between the hours of 8:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m., during which period and between which hours the publication of notice of issuing and selling bonds of said district to the amount of Four Thousand Dollars, for the purpose of raising money for building a school building for said district, for insuring said school building and for supplying said building with furniture and necessary apparatus, and for improving the school grounds, will be voted upon.

The said bonds thereunder to be issued and sold, shall be of the denomination of Four Hundred Dollars each, and shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent, per annum and shall be numbered from 1 to 10 consecutively, payable as follows: Bond No. 1, Four hundred Dollars, to run one year.
Bond No. 2, Four hundred Dollars, to run two years.
Bond No. 3, Four hundred Dollars, to run three years.
Bond No. 4, Four hundred Dollars to run four years.
Bond No. 5, Four hundred Dollars, to run five years.
Bond No. 6, Four hundred Dollars, to run six years.
Bond No. 7, Four hundred Dollars, to run seven years.
Bond No. 8, Four hundred Dollars, to run eight years.
Bond No. 9, Four hundred Dollars, to run nine years.
Bond No. 10, Four hundred Dollars, to run ten years.

That John P. Serres will act as Inspector and Fred S. Ryus and Barnett Cohen will act as the Judges of said Election, and conduct the same, said Inspector and Judges being competent and qualified electors of said School District.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this twenty-seventh day of January, 1916.

FRANKLIN WATKINS, A. P. RINGESSY, Trustees of Flowery School District Sonoma County, California.

Notice of Time and Place for

Proving Will

C. C. P. Sec. 1303

In the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Giuseppe Chelini, also known as G. Chelini, also known as Joseph Chelini, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MONDAY, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock, A. M., of said day, and the Court room of said Superior Court, in Department Two thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, is hereby fixed and appointed as the time and place for proving the Will of said Giuseppe Chelini, also known as G. Chelini, also known as Joseph Chelini, deceased, and for the hearing by the Court of the application of Anna Sorini and John Chelini, for issuance to them of Letters Testamentary thereon.

Dated February 9th, A. D. 1916.

W. W. FELT, JR., County Clerk.

By L. J. Winans, Deputy Clerk.

Robert A. Poppe, Esq., Attorney for Petitioner.

First publication Saturday, February 12, 1916.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE FOR

HOTEL AT VERANO STATION

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Supervisors that the hearing of the application of Morris Levy for a liquor license for a hotel at Verano Station, has been set for March 15th, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., to be held in the rooms of the Board of Supervisors in the Court House, at the City of Santa Rosa.

And all persons interested are notified to be present at said time and show cause, if any they have, why such license should not be granted. Dated February 17th, 1916.

By Order Of The Board of Supervisors.

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Cohen and Son, the junk dealers must answer to the serious charge of buying stolen goods and will appear before Judge Small next week, a warrant having been issued for their arrest on complaint of Constable Murray.

The charge grows out of the purchase of seventy pounds of copper wire, which disappeared from the plant of the California Telephone and Light Company and was later located at Cohen's place of business. The dealers claim to have purchased it in good faith from a family here in town. A number of boys are said to have been involved in the disappearance of the wire from the telephone company and \$12.50 was realized from the sale of the coil.

Attorneys W. F. Cowen of Santa Rosa and Frank Sprague of this place will appear for the defendants, who are liable to a minimum penalty of six months in the county jail or not more than five years in prison should they be convicted.

FINE STORE FOR A. W. AGNEW.

On Wednesday Contractor H. P. Vogensen was granted a permit by the city authorities for the enlarging and remodeling of the McCarthy building on Western avenue, owned by Dr. Thomas Mcclay, which will give A. W. Agnew the Petaluma shoe dealer one of the most beautiful shoe stores in Sonoma county.

The store will be greatly enlarged by doing away with the present stairway leading to the second floor, the erection of a roomy mezzanine gallery in the rear for use as a workshop and the taking in of a large room now used for storage purposes. The front of the Agnew store will be a beautiful one with a large arcade or lobby, elegant new windows and beautiful finish. It will be a splendid improvement and a credit to Mr. Agnew the enterprising merchant.

He has been in business in Petaluma for the past thirteen years and has a host of friends in Sonoma who wish him continued success. During the alterations Mr. Agnew is selling shoes at wonderful reduction. See add in another column.

Much Adler-i-ka Used In Sonoma

It is reported by Jas. McElney that much Adler-i-ka is sold in Sonoma. People have found out that ONE SPOONFUL of this simple buckthorn bark and glycerine mixture relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, sour or gassy stomach. It is so powerful that it is used successfully in appendicitis. ONE MINUTE after you take it the gasses rumble and pass out. It is perfectly safe to use and cannot gripe.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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FOR SALE—65 pair of thoroughbred Carnex pigeons all mated. 10 pair white kings. A bargain. P. W. Vickerson, Agua Caliente.

VINEBURG

Al. Griffith one of our pioneer orchardists transacted business in San Francisco last Saturday.

City Trustee Chas. McDewitt of Sonoma and family, motored to Vineburg Tuesday evening and were guests of local relatives. Joe Andrieux, the man at the wheel says the roads are just lovely.

Do not worry about coal. A 40 ton car arrived here Saturday.

A straight carload of rice bran containing 700 sacks was shipped from Batto's spur Wednesday evening consigned to San Francisco.

W. J. Hiser the popular poultry man invited a young friend of his to play a game of cards with him Saturday evening. Just as the deal was passed, the front door opened and a sweet voice said "surprise," the occasion being Mr. Hiser's birthday, an event he had not thought of. After exchanging the usual greetings, the evening was spent in conversation, music and the playing of games. An elaborate repast was also served. Those present were, Messrs. J. W. Otten, McAllister, A. Sycrowsky, Fred. and Arthur Batto, and Granville Harris Jr. Mesdames Otten, McAllister, Sycrowsky, Fred. Batto, Hiser, Arthur Batto; Miss Jessie Hiser and Master Henry Hiser.

At the earnest request of his legion of friends, Walter Bundschu superintendent of the Rhine Farm, has consented to become a candidate for the office of High School trustee. Mr. Bundschu is well known in business and social circles in Sonoma Valley and highly qualified for the position.

Miss Mary Batto returned home last Tuesday evening after an absence of two months as a guest of her sister, Mrs. August Figone of San Francisco.

The guests who will arrive at Vineburg Inn the coming season, will be surprised to see the improvements made by the new host, Mr. Louis Martin, who certainly knows the way to manage a summer resort.

SOCIAL CLUB BALL AT GLEN ELLEN

With all arrangements completed for the entertainment of a record crowd, the Glen Ellen Social Club will hold its third grand ball, Saturday evening, March 11th at the Pancrezi Auditorium.

The Mayo Ragtime Quintette of Oakland has been engaged to furnish the music. It was this orchestra that made the affairs at the Municipal Auditorium in Oakland so popular. The Mayo Quintette is led by Prof. Samuel Fox and is noted for that alluring, oscillating and pulsating music that has set the whole city of Oakland a dancing.

The young men in charge have extended themselves in their preparation and the ball is expected to be one of the most successful of the season.

GLEN ELLEN CLUB MEETING.

The Glen Ellen Woman's Improvement Club met in May Flower hall last Friday and the first social meeting of the year was indeed delightful. It was well attended and the program of more than ordinary interest. A vocal duet by Misses Olive O'Donnell and Lamona Glenn was beautifully rendered.

Longfellow's "Psalm of Life" was read by Mrs. O. A. Gaige and was followed by Mrs. Olga Gordenker who discoursed on the theme with deep thought and feeling.

Mr. Erickson of the Lyceum Bureau was next heard and his talk proved most interesting. The last number of the afternoon was an inspiring talk on the benefit of the community library by Miss Eddy, County organizer of the State Library.

The members were much enthused over the possibilities of getting the library proposition launched in the near future. A play and dance are planned for the month of May and a Fourth of July carnival on the beautiful O'Donnell grounds.

Friday's interesting session ended with a dainty repast and all went home well pleased with the afternoon's entertainment.

Club Reporter, Glen Ellen, Feb. 29, 1916.

CANDIDATES FOR CITY ELECTION.

The candidates declaring themselves for the City election on April 10th are:

For City Clerk, H. W. Gottenberg (incumbent); for City Treasurer, Wm. F. Clewe, (incumbent) for Trustees, Fred. Bulotti and F. D. Bose.

There seems to be no chance for a contest since the Clerk and Treasurer have no rivals and there are but two trustees to be elected. Mr. Bulotti is a prominent business man and large property owner. His father, V. Bulotti, was at one time a member of Sonoma's Board of City Trustees. Mr. Bose is also a property owner and is prominent in fraternal circles.

CHRISTENING AT ST. FRANCIS CHURCH

A double christening will follow the regular Mass at St. Francis Church Sunday when at 12:30. Rev. Father Comerford will baptize the little two months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Pera and the eight months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gori. Eunice Rosalie Pera and Lavinia Ersigla Gori will be the names bestowed on the children who have been the recipients of many pretty gifts from friends and relatives.

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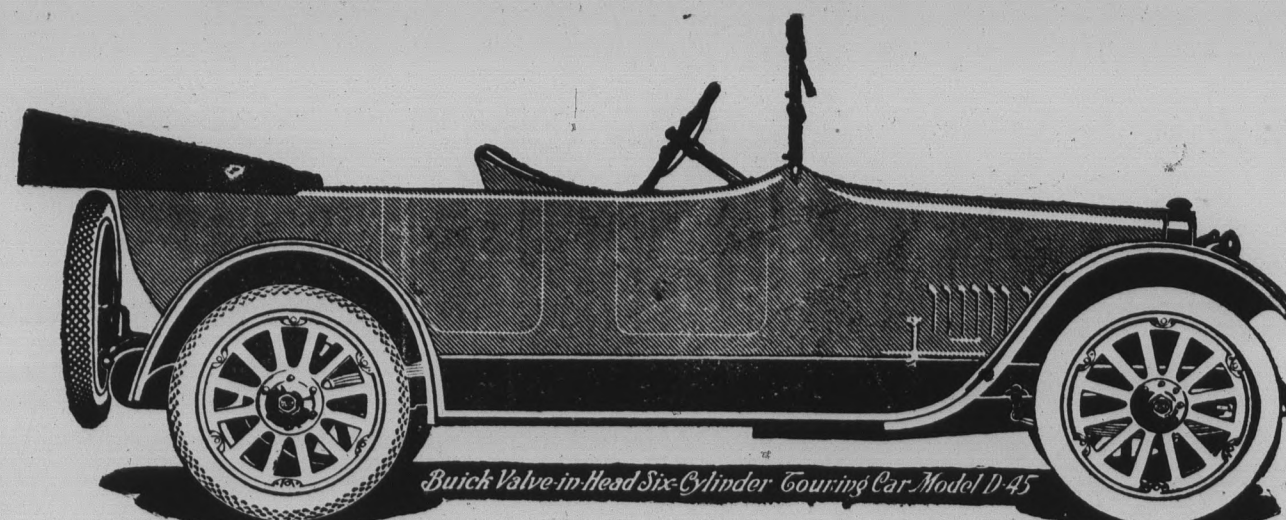
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